

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0125] with the following rewritten version:

[0125] The drive shaft (31) is arranged so that the center line thereof agrees with the center line of the cylinder (23). An eccentric portion (31a) is formed in the lower end part of the drive shaft (31). The eccentric portion (31a) has a diameter larger than the other parts of the drive shaft (31) and the center line thereof is eccentric with respect to the axial center of the drive shaft (31). The drive shaft (31) passes through the main body (25a) of the rocking piston (25) provided in the cylinder (23), and the eccentric portion (32a) rocks at the outer peripheral face thereof with respect to the inner peripheral face of the main body (25a). Thus, the rocking piston (25) can be broadly referred to as a rocking member or orbiting member that extends along the rotation axis of the drive shaft (31) to move between opposing (stationary) axially facing surfaces of the front and rear heads (54) and (55) that define axial ends of the compression chamber (20).